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Document A relates to a method for the determination of sulfidoleukotrienes in tissues and biological fluids and its application in diagnosis of allergies and other inflammatory diseases. Document B relates to Equine CAST® Cellular Antigen Stimulation Test.

Accordingly, no further comment with regard to the disclosures of these documents is believed to be required.

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